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\* 218 Q.—SRI K. GOPALA KOUNDER : கனம் உள் விவகார அமைச்சர் அவர்கள் தயவு செய்து பதிலளிப்பாரா—

(அ) செஞ்சி தாலுகாவில் செஞ்சிக்கு அருகாமையிலுள்ள சிறு கடம்பூர் பாரஸ்டில், கறவை மறுத்த பசுக்களை வைத்து பாதுகாக்க ஒரு பண்ணை அமைக்க அனுமதி கேட்டு அரசாங்கத்திற்கு கோரிக்கை வந்ததா ?

(ஆ) அதன் பேரில் அரசாங்கம் என்ன நடவடிக்கை எடுத்தது ?

THE HON. SRI M. BHAKTAVATSALAM : (a) No, Sir.

(b) Does not arise.

*Feeding of tanks from the High Level Kattalai Channel*

\* 219 Q.—SRI G. ANNAMALAI MUTHURAJA : Will the Hon. the Minister for Works be pleased to state—

(a) whether there is any proposal under consideration to feed the important tanks for irrigation on the southern side within the reach of 40 miles of the New Kattalai High Level Channel which is under excavation in Tiruchirappalli district; and

(b) if not, the reasons therefor?

THE HON. SRI P. KAKKAN : (a) No, Sir.

(b) The reasons are (i) the new channel runs in contour and almost parallel and close to the existing High Level Canal with a common bank for the first 40 miles. (ii) Being a contour channel, irrigation is possible only on the northern side of the new channel which is now served by the existing Kattalai High Level Channel. On the southern side, levels of the ground are rising and the lands lie on the off-side of irrigation.

SRI S. LAZAR : எங்கெங்கு லெவல் பர்மிட் செய்யுமோ அந்தக் குளங்களுக்காவது தண்ணீர் கொடுக்க அரசாங்கம் நடவடிக்கை எடுக்குமா?

THE HON. SRI P. KAKKAN : இப்பொழுது ஒன்றும் சொல்லுவதற்கில்லை. ஏற்கனவே போடப்பட்டிருக்கும் திட்டத்தைப் பொறுத்து, பின்னர் தான் இது கவனிக்கப்படும்.

*Tuberculosis Hospital, Asaripallam*

\* 220 Q.—SRI T. T. DANIEL : Will the Hon. the Minister for Revenue be pleased to state—

(a) how many doctors are there in the Tuberculosis Hospital at Asaripallam in Kanyakumari district;

(b) how many beds are there in this hospital;

(c) how many were treated as (i) out-patients; and (ii) in-patients in the year 1958;

(d) how much amount was spent in the years 1954 to 1958 year-war, for medicine and instruments;

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(e) the number of in-patients and out-patients, separately for the years 1954-56, year-wise;

(f) how many are there in the waiting list;

(g) whether there is any proposal to increase the number of staff;

(h) why a pucca building in this hospital premises has not been used for any purpose; and

(i) whether the Government propose to put up additional beds in the above building in this year?

THE HON. SRI M. A. MANICKAVELU : (a) Five.

(b) Two hundred and thirty-seven.

(c) (i) Thirty-one thousand, six hundred and sixty out-patients.

(ii) One thousand and eighty-nine in-patients.

(d) Figures for 1954 and 1955 are not available, as the institution was under the control of the former Travancore-Cochin State till 31st October 1956. The amount spent for 1956 was Rs. 220, for 1957 Rs. 4,431 and for 1958 Rs. 1,01,904.

(e) Figures are not available, as they relate to the years 1955-56.

(f) One hundred and fourteen as on 25th February 1959.

(g) Additional staff have been sanctioned.

(h) Electrical work had not been completed.

(i) Eighty-eight additional beds have been sanctioned with effect from 1959-60.

SRI T. T. DANIEL : May I know, Sir, the nature of the staff that the Government want to increase, doctors or compounders?

THE HON. SRI M. A. MANICKAVELU : The additional staff sanctioned are :

One Radiologist (in the rank of Assistant Surgeon).

One Anæsthetist (Assistant Surgeon).

One Chief Pharmacist.

One Pharmacist.

One Theatre Assistant.

One Nursing Orderly, Grade I.

One Jamadar.

One Peon.

Two Barbers.

One Nursing Superintendent, Grade III.



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Two Head Nurses.

Eight Nurses.

One Upper Division Clerk.

Two Lower Division Clerks.

**SRI T. S. RAMASWAMY PILLAI :** Though the pucca building was completed some two years ago, may I know the reason why electric connection has yet to be given?

**THE HON. SRI M. A. MANICKAVELU :** The Civil Works, masonry work was completed while the hospital was under the control of the former Travancore-Cochin State, i.e., somewhere in the beginning of 1956. But it was under the other Government and because of the change-over, naturally, there must have been some time lag on account of all that.

*Loans under Local Development Works and Rural Water-Supply Scheme*

\* 221 Q.—**SRI V. K. KOTHANDARAMAN :** கனம் முதலமைச்சர் அவர்கள் தயவு செய்து பதிலளிப்பாரா—

(அ) 1956-57, 1957-58-வது ஆண்டுகளில் நம் ராஜ்யத்தில் ஸ்தல அபிவிருத்தி (2) கிராம குடிதண்ணீர்—நீர்ப்பாசனத் திட்டங்களின் கீழ் கடன் வசதிக்களுக்காக ஒதுக்கப்பட்ட தொகை எவ்வளவு (ஜில்லா வாரியாக) ?

(ஆ) வட ஆற்காடு ஜில்லாவில் தாலுகா வாரியாக ஒதுக்கப்பட்ட தொகை எவ்வளவு ?

**THE HON. SRI C. SUBRAMANIAM :** (a) There is no loan provision under the Local Development Works Programme and Rural Water-Supply Schemes. Provision for loan is being made only for Minor Irrigation Schemes under the control of the Director of Agriculture and under the Community Development Programme implemented in Block areas. A statement<sup>a</sup> showing particulars in respect of the schemes both under the control of the Director of Agriculture and under the Community Development Programme is placed on the table of the House.

(b) The question does not arise in respect of Local Development Works Programme and Rural Water-Supply Schemes. As regards Minor Irrigation Schemes, no taluk-wise provision was being made either in respect of schemes under the control of the Director of Agriculture or under the Community Development Programme.

**SRI V. K. KOTHANDARAMAN :** எப்ரல் மாதம் முதற் தேதி முதற் கொண்டு ஸ்தல அபிவிருத்தித் திட்டம் இல்லாத காரணத்தினாலும் மேலும் ஸ்தல அபிவிருத்தித் திட்டத்திற்காக வேண்டி கொடுக்கக்கூடிய